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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :
PEYMAN et al : Examiner: T. Truong
Serial No.: 10/808,496 :
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For: NAPHTHYRIDINE...THEM :

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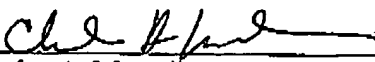
RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants request the Examiner to examine claim 11 with claims 1 to 6 and 8. The Examiner in the advisory action held for the first time that claim 11 was not being examined because a constructive election of the compound claims had been made in the first action. However, claim 11 had been examined in the final rejection and so the Examiner has examined claim 11 already without difficulty. Therefore, rejoinder of claim 11 is requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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